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Jeffrey Horsley examines a quartet of trilliums (one not shown) found growing from a single root on his grandfather's front lawn. The root was transplanted to the lawn by Mr. Fred Barry a number of years ago and at that time was bearing two flowers. The Barry home, one of the oldest in the area, is located on Highway 121 in Lutterworth Township.

Rally cancelled - legal point being questioned

The Black Bear car rally, scheduled for last weekend in the Minden area, was cancelled at the last minute by the organizers. The event was called off late Thursday evening when officials were informed several legal implications of the rally were being questioned by police.

Organizer David Paisley has said he hopes the rally can be rescheduled for later this fall. "We tried to get the rally off the ground before there were a lot of people in the area," he commented. "Now that we have had to postpone it, it is likely it won't be held until next fall, perhaps sometime in September."

Paisley said the rally was cancelled because initially there were concerns about potential forest fire hazards. He commented that the week of continuous rain eliminated the hazard but resulted in wet and unstable roads.

"The organizers (Maple Leaf Rally Club) had to make a decision Thursday evening and we decided to cancel the event rather than try to proceed," Paisley said. He noted the organizers spent a number of hectic hours on the phone notifying participants from points in Ontario and Quebec that the rally had been

called off. Businesses in and around Minden also had to be called to cancel reservations for accommodations and catering.

Paisley said the main concern was an issue raised by Sergeant Bill Bailey of the Minden OPP about the application of the Highway Traffic Act to forest access roads maintained by the Ministry of Natural Resources. Paisley said the legal interpretation could have implications for similar rallies elsewhere in the province.

The club had intended to run the cars over forest access roads maintained by the MNR. The cars would be racing against the clock as they covered these sections of

the course. In connecting sections, which could possibly be over MTC or township roads, the cars would not be "racing" against the clock.

It was the use of MNR access routes which the sergeant of the Minden detachment questioned. "The access roads are considered public roads," he commented, "and as such as governed by the rules of the Highway Traffic Act". He said the organizers would need a special permit for the vehicles to exceed the speed limit on these roads even if precautions were taken to ensure

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AHM ratepayers face 8.5% tax increase

Anson, Hindon and Minden ratepayers will note an average increase of 8.5% in their municipal tax levy this year. The increase was included in a by-law approving the new rates passed at the May 29 meeting.

Residential taxes in the municipality will be increased an average of 8.49% while commercial taxes are up 8.72%. The new rates mean residential taxpayers will have to pay 33.3 mills more than last year while commercial taxes increase 44.4 mills in Minden and 39.1 mills in other areas of the municipality.

The largest portion of this higher rate is due to increases in the county and board of education budgets. The county levy accounts from 6 mills residential and 7 in the commercial sector, while education purposes claim 24 mills in the residential collections and 29 mills from

the commercial ratepayers. The portion of increased taxes as a direct result of general municipal purposes is approximately three mills residential and 3.5 mills commercial.

The municipality has budgeted to spend \$890,011 this year.

The following outlines the mills rates applied to each of the five areas in the municipality. The figures in the brackets indicate last year's mill rate.

Residential

Area 1: (Minden Village), 456.645 mills (423.339) a 7.87% increase.

Area 2: (within 5 miles of firehall), 420.645 mills (387.339), an 8.6% increase.

Area 3: (rural areas outside the 5 mile radius), 419.145 mills (387.339), an 8.63% increase.

Area 4: (Ingoldsby and Carnarvon), 421.145 mills

(387.839), an 8.59% increase.

Area 5: (northwest Hindon Township), 414.145 mills (380.839), an 8.75% increase.

Commercial

Area 1: 537.230 (492.753), an increase of 9.03%.

Area 2: 494.877 (455.694), an increase of 8.60%.

Area 3: 493.112 (453.929), an increase of 8.63%.

Area 4: 495.465 (456.282), an increase of 8.59%.

Area 5: 487.230 (448.047), an increase of 8.75%.

Budget

The municipality will be spending \$978,000 this year with a surplus of \$28,315 being carried forward from 1980. A \$60,000 amount has been set aside for a reserve fund. The township will also be raising \$686,000 for education purposes and \$141,000 for the county. The total tax to be raised in the municipality is \$1,717,000.

The following is a departmental break-down of the 1981 budget figures, with comparisons to 1980:

Council expenses: an increase of over \$5000 from \$18,300 to \$23,550.

Administration: an increase of \$7000 to \$103,000.

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Property expenses: an increase to \$39,982 from \$22,524. The main area of increase is a \$20,000 allowance for Main Street revitalization. This amount was budgeted for last year but not used.

Finance and other expense: \$31,400 is being earmarked for this year compared to \$113,814. The large reduction is due mainly to a much reduced capital reserve fund allocation.

Fire department: an increase of \$3000 from \$35,600 in 1980 to \$38,300.

By-law enforcement: the amount is down from last year by \$6000 to \$22,400 reflecting a major capital expenditure made in 1980.

Road: (including traffic control and parking and street lighting), has increased by \$20,000 from \$308,422 in 1980 to \$28,990 this year.

Environmental services including garbage disposal, water and sewer: \$60,900 for this year compared to \$32,541. This reflects the use of the unconditional grant for sewer and water purposes and the effort of the municipality to balance the water accounts.

Health services: (ambulance), up from \$54,900 to \$76,100. Most of the increase is in salaries.

Social and family services: \$33,400, up from \$26,000, an increase of \$7000 in general assistance.

Recreation and cultural activities: an increase from \$172,988 to \$230,200.

Planning and zoning: increased from \$2,200 to \$6,200.

MNR to study park for Hindon

Ministry of Natural Resources personnel have agreed to take a second look at the possibility of establishing a provincial park in Hindon Township.

The MNR officials met with members of the Anson, Hindon and Minden Township council May 29 at the request of the council to discuss the prospects for a park in that area.

The ministry official, Don White and Jim Dewey from the Minden office and Warren Evershad and George Morose of the Huntsville office, when asked to comment initially, said there were a number of important items which the MNR looks for before spending funds to establish a park.

"In establishing a park," Morose stated, "we are interested in protecting significant landscapes and representative areas in the province. The area must also have a resource base for recreation. We are looking for an area with lakes to provide swimming, fishing and boating, suitable areas for camping and picnicking, trails for hiking, and other outdoor activities." He told the meeting that such potential attributes must be considered "outstanding" for the ministry to justify spending the amount of money needed to develop a provincial park. "It is these items which attract people to a park, and provide benefits for the local economy," he commented.

Morose told the meeting that the ministry has one park reserve in the Minden district, toward the south-east of the area near Catchacoma Lake. "We feel that one park reserve

is not enough in the district but we have been unable to find the suitable land." He commented that the best land is now being held privately and that most of the Crown land was deemed to be unsuitable for park development.

Councillor Ed Pergolas commented that this municipality has an "overabundance" of Crown land. "It is strangling our economy," he commented. "Where do we go from here?"

Jim Dewey of the Minden

office pointed out that the Crown land which occupies almost two-thirds of the western portions of Anson and Hindon townships, is not "waste land". "The area is used for logging, trapping, hunting and snowmobile trails," he pointed out. He said that if the area were sold into private ownership, public access to these facilities and resources would be reduced. The ability of the ministry to manage them properly would also be severely curtailed.

Evershad added that the area is an important one for logging operations which add to the economy and that a deer yard was located in the central portion of Hindon Township. This he pointed out helps draw hunters to the area, an important source of tourist revenue.

The meeting was told that if the ministry decided to establish a provincial park in the area of Big East Lake for example, it would require at least 1000 acres. Morose noted there were a large number of hunt camps in the area and these would have to

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FROM THE CHAMBER

By Bob Stinson



It was certainly hoped when things were finalized on the development of the slide ride in Haliburton that it would encourage further attractions to be created as a spin off. The first such development is now official.

A "Tour Train" pulled by a jeep, similar to those in use at the C.N.E. has been purchased from the Stratford Chamber of Commerce by Steve Bowskill and a group of Haliburton business men and is scheduled to move visitors from the Sky Slider through main street, the park, by the Gallery along the lakeshore and all the way up to the Museum in Glebe Park. Assistance towards the operating costs will be sought from the municipality and there is no doubt that they will see the benefits in the project.

It was a concern of some business people that much of the traffic generated by the Sky Slider may not be capitalized upon if visitors simply participated in the ride and left, without taking in the other sights and facilities in town. The train should help tie it all together now and in particular should go a long way to improving attendance at the Museum.

The Pinehouse Inn, The Sky Slider and the forthcoming Tour Train all have one thing in common. They are or will become major factors in the development of tourism here in our county. Without them, or something like them, our economy would very definitely suffer. They are with us now because men of vision saw the potential and put the plans together, and other men of vision were willing to invest in those plans - not so much for personal profit, but to help make it work for all of us.

The Ontario government also provided some low interest, by comparison, financing through the Ontario Development Corporation which of course was also of key importance. We should be very grateful to those who made these things happen, and encourage that type of continued co-operation which will cause more great things to happen in our midst.

Count yourself in

Today is Census day in Canada and we urge everyone to take their responsibility seriously and see that the forms are filled out accurately and returned. It is costing the Federal Government about \$11.25 * to distribute and process each and every one of these questionnaires and the information that subsequently makes up the statistics is of utmost importance not only to the government but to private enterprise who use the information in making plans and decisions.

What's happening in June

The Canadian White Water Championships take place at the Minden Wild Water Preserve on Saturday, June 13 commencing at 9:00 a.m. On Sunday, June 14 competition will continue, from 11:00 a.m. to select a Canadian team for world competition. A feature of Sunday's event will be the hot dog and free style at about 2:00 p.m. We are expecting major T.V. coverage on this national event.

The Haliburton County Fair Board are hosting their annual Beef Barbeque and Dance on Saturday, June 13 at the Minden Arena. The dinner and dance is \$7.50 per person or you may attend the dance only which features the Misty River Ramblers for \$3.00 each.

On the same weekend, June 12, 13, 14, the Haliburton Kinsmen once again present their Home and Cottage Show at the Haliburton Arena and Curling Rink. There is also a dance at the Legion on Saturday in connection with the show. Exhibitors from throughout the Highlands and neighbouring communities will be showing the latest products for your home and cottage along with new cars, trucks, and boats. Don't Miss It!

Information centres

Members are reminded that the Information Centres are gearing up for the busy summer ahead and they need your brochures, fliers or whatever you have to assist in getting business to your door. The Chamber office at Minden is now open 7 days a week and will begin extended hours of operation on June 22. There is no charge for any Chamber member to display advertising.

The information caboose at Haliburton is operated by the Municipality of Dysart et al in co-operation with the Chamber and accepts advertising from both members and non-members. They are presently open weekends and will be open 7 days a week as of June 22nd.

In Cardiff the municipality operates an information centre in a restored log school house on Highway 28 just east of McGillvary Road and they will be happy to have your brochures for distribution. For details of their hours contact the municipal office at 613-339-2323.

Ministry advertising

The Ministry of Industry and Tourism is continuing with a very high powered promotional campaign that should generate an economic impact of seven billion, five hundred million dollars.

Their "Yours to Discover" theme has gained wide

Charge laid following single car mishap

Investigation was by Constable Bob Wood.

Vehicles damaged

More than \$600 damage was done to several construction vehicles at the highway site on Highway 503 in Snowdon township during the night of May 28-29.

The vehicles had their brake lines cut and 46 tires were deflated.

Constable Wim Magee investigated.

Water safety week June 7-13

"Play it Safe" is this year's theme for Water Safety Week, from June 7 - 13.

The Red Cross has several tips to ensure boating, swimming and basic water safety.

Every year more than 700,000 Canadians take part in Red Cross swimming and water safety classes. They learn how to swim and the straightforward facts of playing it safe around the water. Similar courses are planned for the Haliburton Highlands. Those interested should contact their municipal offices for more details.

-Look before you leap. The Red Cross recommends before diving in check the water for depth, rocks and other hazards.

-Cold water swimming can lead to hypothermia. Hypothermia is the rapid lowering of body temperature and drowning may result. Know basic cold water survival skills and the dangers of cold water.

-Watch children carefully around water. It doesn't take much water or time for a child to drown.

-Currents can be treacherous. The Red Cross recommends swimming only

at supervised areas.

-Swimming alone is dangerous. If you get in trouble, you'll be alone - at the bottom of the lake. Always swim with at least two people.

-When boating, the law requires that a lifejacket or personal flotation device (PFD) be on board for each

Rally postponed

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public access was restricted during the race.

He suggested the cars could reach speeds of 100 miles per hour during the course of the run on the access roads. The sergeant noted the speed limit on roads which aren't posted is 50 kmph.

"Both ministries want to get a legal opinion on the matter before allowing it to proceed," he commented.

Local Ministry of Natural Resources spokesman Don White said there was no concern about fire danger on the part of his ministry. He said there had been no complaints of the club's use of the trails in the past.

White said the local ministry office was informed that the rally was cancelled on Friday and that no effort had been made by ministry officials to call off the rally because of potential fire hazard.

White described the roads the club was going to use as narrow and twisting. He said an average car could use the roads but that care is needed in some locations and speed would be limited because of the conditions of the roads.

A press release issue by the organizing club and received at this office Tuesday indicated the rally was being cancelled because of wet conditions on the roads. No mention was made of the legal questions which have been raised.

In any event, club officials feel confident the rally will go ahead, perhaps without the proposed public section along the Queen's Line. A date is expected to be set in a couple of weeks for the autumn run.

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Constable Weldon Popp was the investigating officer.

Runaways caught

Last Wednesday was a busy day for two 14-year-old runaways from Lindsay.

Shortly after 7 a.m., William Prentice, of Prentice Roads, south of Minden, reported that his 1981 4-wheel drive pick-up had been stolen from his driveway by two teenage boys.

At 10 a.m., police received a call from West Guilford that two youths were attempting to steal a car from the parking lot of Steven's Hairdressing.

Constable Terry Brown was on his way to investigate when he saw the stolen vehicle travelling west on Highway 530 and he turned around to follow it.

The truck attempted a left turn onto a sideroad but nosedived into a ditch damaging its front end causing approximately \$500.

The two youths who had been reported missing were taken into custody and charged with a number of offences.

A second truck, stolen earlier in Bobcaygeon, was recovered abandoned on Highway 35, south of Minden.

Radar sees all

The radar speed measuring device at Minden Detachment continues to be used daily on roads throughout the County.

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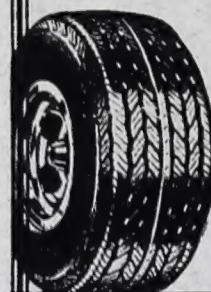
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BY MARK TURRIS

180 lakes in Haliburton county surveyed for acidity --- here are the results

Close to 180 lakes in the Haliburton Highlands have been tested for acidity. The results of those tests are contained in a report released last week by the Ontario Ministry of Environment.

At the same time Environment Minister Keith Norton has announced a new service to inform cottagers and other interested people of the effects of acid rain on their lakes.

A telephone hot-line to provide up-to-date information on the status of specific lakes is in operation. Details of an initial survey of 1,665 lakes is in operation. Details of an initial survey of 1,665 lakes in Ontario have been released which identify lakes affected by acid rain.

"This survey represents just one element of our work on acid rain," said Norton. "Future work will include an analysis of the data in a geological framework so that analysis of the sensitivity of other regions of the province can be undertaken."

The report is called Acid Sensitivity Survey of Lakes in Ontario and was produced as part of the Acidic Precipitation in Ontario Study.

Norton said the report will also have impact on relations with the United States.

"This type of scientific evidence is invaluable in our effort to increase the awareness of American citizens about the serious effects that U.S. emissions have in Ontario," he explained. "The data will also be used in the current negotiations between Canada and the U.S. to get an international agreement aimed at controlling emissions."

Lakes are arranged by county or district and listed alphabetically within each

such division. For each lake, the location - township, latitude and longitude - the study or report providing the date and the date of sampling are listed in the detailed report.

There are five categories of classification: acidified, extreme sensitivity, moderate sensitivity, low sensitivity and not sensitive.

Of the 1,665 lakes tested, 534 were found not sensitive, 567 were moderately sensitive, 244 were low sensitive, 234 were extremely sensitive and 86 were acidified.

Most of the acidified lakes are in the Sudbury area and are thought to have been directly affected by local sources.

In a preface, the authors explain that the five categories are arbitrary since the studies of acidification rates of lakes and of a lake's buffering capacity are not yet complete.

"Nevertheless," it says, "they are based on current understanding of lake sensitivity and as such can provide a limited or preliminary answer to the question."

Inquiries about lakes in the report can be directed to the limnology unit at (416) 248-3058 in Toronto between 8:15 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Collect calls will be accepted.

A fact sheet which summarizes the report is available free of charge from: Information Services Branch Ministry of the Environment 134 St. Clair Ave. W.

6th floor
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(416) 965-7117

Further reports on the analysis of an additional 1,000 lakes will be released later this summer.

The following is a list of the lakes in the county which have been tested by MOE. The number following the name of each lake indicates its acidification reading based on the following system: (1) acidified; (2) extremely sensitive; (3) moderately sensitive; (4) low sensitivity; (5) not sensitive.

Allen (4); Amaleen (3); Anson (2); Austin (3); Avery (3); Bark (3); Basshaunt (3); Bear (3); Beech (4); Beer (3); Benoit (3); Bentshoe (2); Big East (2); Big Hawk (3); Big Orillia (3); Big Porcupine (2); Bigrock (3); Billings (3); Bitter (3); Bivouac (3); Black (4); Bluegrass (2); Blue Hawk (5); Bob (3); Bonnechere (2); Boshkung (3); Brady (3); Buchanan (3); Buckhorn (3); Byers (3); Camp (2); Canning (4); Cauliflower (3); Cinder (2); Clean (3); Clear (3); Clinto (2); Clydegale (3); Contau (5); Cranberry (4); Crown (2); Crystal (1); Cup (3).

Dagger (2); Davis (5); Dawson Ponds (2); Dividing (2); Drag (4); Duck (5); Eagle (3); East (3); Eels (4); Elephant (4); Esson (5); Farquar (5); Fishtail (4); Fletcher (3); Fourcorner (5); Frank (2); Galeair (3); Glamor (5); Glen (5); Gooderham (5); Grace (4); Grass (4); Green (4); Guilford (3); Gull (4); Gun (2); Haliburton (3); Hay (3); Hall's (3); Harry (2); Harvey (3); Havelock (2); Head (4); Johnson (2).

Kabakwa (3); Kashagawigamog (4); Kawagama (3);

Kelly (2); Kennawag (4); Kennisis (3); Kimball (2); Kingscote (3); Kishlong (2); Kushog (3); Lipsey (2); Little Bob (3); Little Boshkung (3); Little Branch (3); Little Buckhorn (2); Little Cup (3); Little Dudmon (5); Little Fletcher (3); Little Hawk (2); Little Hay (3); Little Kenisis

(2); Little Orillia (3); Little Redstone (3); Little Soyer (3); Livingstone (3); Long (5); Long Pond (3); Loon (5); Louie (3); Louisa (2); Lower Cup (3); Lower Fletcher (3); Lower Paudash (5); Lower Welch (4); Lowry (4); MacDonald (3); Madawas-

ka (3); Maple (4); Marigold (5); McDonald (2); McFadden (3); McGarvey (2); Millichamp (3); Millword (3); Miskwabi (5); Moose (4); Mountain (4); Mouse (2); Nehemiah (2); North (2); North Grace (2); North Pigeon (3); Nunikani (2); Oblong (3); Oxtongue (3); Partridge (4); Paudash (4); Paul (2); Pelaw (3); Pen (3); Percy (3); Phipps (2); Pine (4); Plastic (2); Poker (3); Pursey (5); Ragged (3); Rainbow (2); Raven (3); Red Pine (2);

Redstone (3); Rence (3); Rock (3); Rockaway (2); St. Nora (3); Salerno (5); Scorch (3); Sherborne (2); Silent (3); Slipper (3); South Anson (2); South Boot (3); South Jenn (3); South McDonald (3); South Wildcat (2); Soyers (4); Stocking (2); Stormy (3); Straggle (Big) (5); Straggle (Little) (5); Stringer (2); Tedious (3); Tock (2); Trout-spawn (3); Twelve Mile (3); Upper Redstone (2); Welch (4); Welcome (3); West (5); Wildcat (3); Wren (2); Wolf (3).

Council questions tax write-off

Members of Anson, Hindon and Minden township council are questioning the loss of sewer and water income from a house sold under the power of sale. The sale of the house located in Minden Village was completed recently and after the proceeds were distributed, including a commission for the real estate firm, there was no money left to cover the outstanding sewer and water debt.

Victoria and Grey Trust of Lindsay held the mortgage on the property. When they foreclosed, the company asked a local real estate firm, Wrightman Realty, to handle the sale. When a sale was completed, the municipality was unable to claim the amount owing on water and sewer charges because the revenue gained in the sale was used to cover the outstanding mortgage and real estate agent's fees.

Councillor Ed Pergolas told the May 29 meeting that the township should be able to get the \$244 water and sewer bill that was unpaid. "Why should we agree to write-off the outstanding taxes when the real estate company receives their commission," he commented. He pointed out that Victoria and Grey have their own real estate division

which could have handled the sale of the property. He said the township should have received the amount owing for water and sewer charges out of the Victoria and Grey portion of the sale.

Pergolas, who is also a salesman with a local real estate office, noted the commission of 5 1/2% was higher than the normal 5% charged in house sales.

The council refused to allow the tax write-off and will ask Victoria and Grey for clarification of the matter.

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The dinner is sponsored by all the municipalities in the county and is put on by the staff of Hyland Crest and volunteers.

Dinner is at 5:30 p.m. on June 23.

Park

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be removed since hunting is not permitted in provincial parks.

Don White, Minden district manager, told the meeting that the ministry was open to suggestions for the creation of a park in the area and agreed that MNR staff would study the possibility again. "We are open to legitimate suggestions," he commented. He said the ministry was willing to "trade-off" some of the resources now being realized in that area for a park if the return justified the expense.

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Noise trial delayed again

The court hearing into the charge against the management of the Rockcliffe Hotel for allowing excessive noise from that establishment has been postponed another time. The trial was to have taken place Tuesday of this week but had to be put over to another date when Judge Inrig announced he would be unavailable.

The judge has been dealing with the case since it was initiated almost two years ago and so only he can hear what was expected to be final arguments from both sides.

The municipality of Anson, Hindon and Minden laid the charge following a number of complaints during the summer of 1979. Since then the case has come to court on numerous occasions. In one instance the municipality's charge was thrown out because it was improperly presented. Other delays have resulted from motions by both parties.

The judge is expected to set a new date for the hearing at next week's sitting of the Provincial Court.

Editorial

A serious responsibility

A study released last week by the Ministry of the Environment has shown that at least 66% of the septic systems serving properties on the shores of Soyers and Kashagawigamog lakes are considered substandard.

This, as the report notes, does not mean that these facilities are necessarily polluting those bodies of water, although according to the report at least some are leaking directly into the lake. However it does not mean that over 250 systems do not meet current standards. As the ministry points out, "...a potential hazard exists."

The ministry is to be congratulated first for undertaking this survey. Carried out in 1980 the MOE surveyed three lakes in Muskoka and two in Haliburton. This sort of program is a positive approach to lake pollution problems identifying the hazards before they become serious polluters.

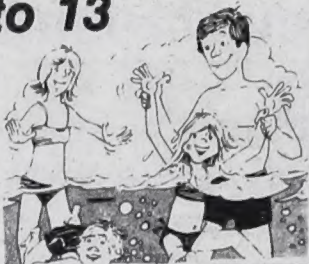
The onus now falls on the property owner to follow up on the advice of the MOE officials. In instances where the sewage system has been classified "seriously substandard," there may be time before any corrective action need be taken. But, these individuals should be prepared to bring their system up to standard as quickly as possible. Others who have been identified as direct polluters will be dealt with through proper legal channels.

While we all share a responsibility for the protection of our lakes, those who are fortunate to have property on the shoreline have an additional responsibility to ensure the resource is not damaged through carelessness. With the findings of this report, we hope these people take that onus seriously.

Congratulations

Congratulations are in order for the Highlands Little Theatre following their latest production, A Shot In The Dark. The calibre of their presentations has increased greatly since they first stepped out on stage. The group is truly an asset to the community. Perhaps some day we'll have our own summer stock theatre.

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A majority budget

by John Eakins, MPP

Many constituents are still writing and commenting on the Budget of May 19. What that budget contained or did not contain is a reality of March 19. It is a reality of what happens under a majority government. Last fall, and before the election, you will recall the government did not increase taxes, due to the impending election. Now with a majority, the people have

been zapped.

The change in the gas tax to an ad valorem basis means that this government now has a vested interest in seeing the price of oil increase, since

every time the price goes up, so does this government's take. It is pointed out that the 20% tax on gasoline means

the government will now profit more than Alberta from price increases, and that this tax is the most pernicious and cynical that this government has ever imposed on the people of Ontario.

The increase in personal income tax is also an unconscionable tax grab at a

time when consumers are already reeling from the ravages of interest rates and inflation. It is incredible to me that a government would choose to take more money out of the consumer's pocket, thus reducing discretionary income, at a time when the economy is flagging, and particularly when just six months ago that same government reduced sales taxes in order to stimulate demand. These tactics are inconsistent and foolish, as well as a deliberate betrayal of the Premier's commitment of February 2, on calling the election, "to combat inflation through ... avoiding tax increases".

The increase in OHIP premiums, a regressive and punitive form of taxation, by 109 per cent over a 5-year period, only further erodes the average consumer's ability to make ends meet in these difficult times. Alternatives such as payroll taxes or financing health care from general revenues are used in seven other provinces and have been recommended time and time again in Ontario. These alternatives are far more equitable, but this government has refused to consider them.

This budget is nothing more than a \$603 million tax grab from the taxpayers' pockets.

What is desperately needed is a Budget that addresses the problems of high interest rates and inflation and their impact on individual consumers; that sets out a positive, concrete plan for economic recovery and revitalization of the manufacturing sector; that proposes measures to stimulate new wealth creation and to encourage applied research and development; that commits the government to skills training programs that will prepare our young people for the challenges and opportunities of today's workplace; that actively supports small businesses, and that rededicates the government to ensuring excellence in our schools.

Letters

Editor's Note: The following letter was sent to the Progressive Conservative Party of Ontario in response to a request for funds by party organizer, Mr. William M. Kelly.

Dear Mr. Kelly:

We received your letter dated May 12 requesting financial support for the Ontario Progressive Conservative Party.

This came the night the Ontario budget came out.

It grieved us to see the government of Ontario hit the small people. The big companies and corporations are to be giving jobs to the unemployed. Who said they will and what proof is there that this is going to happen? This lets them off the hook very nicely "and but" why? We in business hire when we need and can afford to. Are they not in the same situation? Trusting this letter makes you ask the same questions and do hope you find the right answers. Would appreciate hearing from you.

Elizabeth Hardy,
Minden.

outdoors

by Ron Reid of the Federation of Ontario Naturalists

Along the marshy shores of Ontario waterways, the water lilies are emerging, and so are one of the most ancient creatures of the marsh, the snapping turtle. The mossy back and sharp-ridged tail of this scavenger of the marsh may become a rare sight, however, if the fears of researcher Martyn Obbard are correct.

Obbard has been studying the snapping turtles in part of Algonquin Park, and has turned up a fascinating life history. After emerging from deep in the mud where they spend 8 months of the year, the turtles establish home ranges in shallow water. Most of their food is vegetation, but the strong jaws of a snapper will ambush a frog or minnow if one happens nearby. Snapping turtles are long-lived, up to 25 or 30 years, but

they seldom produce young before the age of 8.

These turtles lay eggs in sandy banks, and Obbard found that some females in his study area travel up to five miles just to nest. Once the 30 or so eggs are buried in sand, the mother returns to her marsh. Almost half of the nests are ransacked the first night by foxes and raccoons. Since the eggs need 90-120 days in the warm sand to incubate, many of the young fail to emerge before winter and are killed by frost. Amazingly, the sex of the turtles that hatch is determined not by the parents, but by the temperature of the sand - the warmer the sand, the higher the percentage of females.

Snapping turtles in recent years have become much sought after as a gourmet

delicacy, and the annual take in the Lindsay district alone is 25-30 tons per year. Almost all of this turtle-trapping is done by Americans, whose native waters have already been cleaned out of snapping turtles.

Obbard warns that a population such as this, which normally is very slow to reproduce and which has low natural mortality of adults, simply cannot stand such exploitation. He suggests that we need regulation of their trapping, under the authority of the Minister of Natural Resources, and protection of their nest sites.

Obbard's work has given as fair warning of the threat facing Ontario's snapping turtles. If we fail to act, we stand to lose another interesting and valuable part of our aquatic ecology.

Counting - it's for the birds

In June of 1980 over 100 dauntless naturalists braved swamps and muck-mires at the height of the insect season to locate and count the nests in 104 Great Blue Heron colonies in Ontario.

As a result of their efforts the Ontario Heronry Inventory (OHI) is in a position to estimate the numbers of breeding Great Blue Herons more accurately than ever before. In 1981, the second year of this 2-year effort, OHI is looking for volunteers to census the remaining target colonies.

The objectives of the OHI (a project supported by the Long Point Bird Observatory, the Ontario Ministry of Natural Resources and the Canadian Wildlife Service) are to register the size and location of all colonies of Great Blue Herons, Black-crowned Night herons, Great Egrets and Cattle Egrets in Ontario.

The census for 1980-81 was instituted to determine the breeding population of the Great Blue Heron, by far the most numerous and widely distributed colonial heron in Ontario. The census relies heavily on volunteers to do the counting, using methods which have been carefully tested under expert supervision to ensure that colonies will not be disturbed by inexperienced censusers.

Although results will be incomplete until the 1981 field season is over, we know that there were 4,625 pairs of Great Blue Herons in the colonies censused. Project personnel estimate that the breeding population is about

11,800 pairs in the 253 active colonies in the province. They believe however, that this could well be an underestimate.

Although the Great Blue Heron is widely distributed in the province, about 2,900 pairs are concentrated in the 44 large colonies south and east of a line from Coldwater to Kingston. These large colonies in the south which hold such a significant proportion of this species' population are particularly vulnerable to human impact.

Great Blue Herons seem to prefer nesting in swamps where the censuser has to crane his neck to locate the stick nests camouflaged by the dense foliage high in the trees. Picture someone trying to count these nests in three feet of water and you'll realize why the instructions suggest that insect repellent, hip waders and a dry change of clothes are good ideas.

Most of last year's volunteers, who were responsible for 65% of the 1980 census effort, have signed up again in 1981: a good indication that

most people found the experience worthwhile. This year we again plan to census as many of Ontario's Great Blue Heron colonies as is possible, but efforts will be concentrated in the southern area (described above) in the east (newly defined as the area east of a line drawn from Arnprior to Ganarone) and a third area surrounding Lake Nipissing, where it is hoped that 100% coverage can be obtained.

In 1981 we would also like to census the 17 colonies outside the above areas which are recorded as having 50 or more nests. Help is also needed to census colonies in other areas. Anyone who would like to volunteer his assistance should contact: the Ontario Heronry Inventory, c/o Long Point Bird Observatory, Box 160, Port Rowan, Ontario N0E 1M0. We also encourage anyone who knows of a colony location who has not yet reported it to write to the same address, so that our 1981 census can be as complete as possible.

Coming up

Wednesday, June 10: Annual Meeting and Going Up ceremonies for Minden Beavers, Cubs & Scouts at Archie Stouffer school Gym 7 p.m. Parents & interested friends welcome.

Sat. June 13 - Agricultural Society Annual Beef Barbecue - Minden Arena 6 p.m. to 1 a.m. Welcome!

Saturday, June 13: Canadian White Water Slalom Championships

THANK YOU

Minden and area

Thursday is our second anniversary. During the past two years THE TIMES has grown with the support of our advertisers and readers. We appreciate the trust you have placed in us and will strive to continue our service to the community as a reliable source of information and opinion.

Your support and encouragement has not gone unnoticed and for this we say "Thank you."

Jack Brezina and Staff of

The Times



That darn hat

by Irene Stewart



Some of you readers may recognize this true short story because it was on Front Page Challenge program about twenty-five years ago.

My niece, Lenore Knudsen of Toronto, was the person whose story the panel had to guess. It was about an incident which took place in Washington when Mr. Harry Truman was president. The other contestant that night was Gordon Sinclair's son.

Lenore told me that, after the show, she and Mr. Sinclair were entertained at a fine dinner with the panel. She said not only was the food delicious but the conversation was stimulating and very interesting. Lenore received one hundred dollars for her appearance and I, being the one who sent in the item, got twenty-five dollars.

The incident happened in Washington where Lenore had gone to be a secretary for General Smuts in the South African Legation. While there she hoped to get around and see as much of the city as she could and visit the many historic sites.

She discovered that prices were extremely high in the nation's capital. With so many highly paid government officials living there she found that most people ate out, especially for dinner. There were many fine concerts to attend but to do them up right one needed to dress in high style with several changes of clothing and hats.

Perhaps some of you are not old enough to remember the time when women actually wore hats).

Lenore was a clever seamstress who could copy expensive dresses she saw in the better dressmakers' shops. We used to say that it was too bad she had Tiffany tastes and Woolworth's income. She usually ate a quick lunch in the cafeteria then rushed downtown to haunt the best shops for ideas or bargains.

One day Lenore saw a hat which she particularly admired in Gimbles, one of the best stores in the city. True to form, she went in to try it on. It was perfect for what she was looking for but, when she shot a surreptitious glance at the price tag, she quickly had the clerk replace the hat in the showcase and beat a hasty retreat before she weakened.

With her salary in those days, fifty dollars was a bit much for a smart chapeau even if it was haute couture. Regretfully she left the shop and walked the long distance back to the Legation.

All night long thoughts of that super-special headgear kept zigzagging through her sleepy brain. From whichever angle she looked at it she simply could not afford it, that is, and expect to eat for the next two weeks. Then the thought occurred to her. Why not copy it like she did the dresses? It would be a first but, if she went back to the shop and studied it carefully, she was reasonably sure she could make one very much like it. Having made her decision she

quickly fell asleep.

When lunch hour came the next day my niece decided to pass up lunch and head straight down to the hat department where she could take her time figuring out how to do it. She became so absorbed in her project that she failed to notice the flight of time. Before she knew it her lunch hour had flown. That meant that she would be late getting back to work, a situation which the General would certainly frown upon.

"Oh, drat the darned hat!" she ejaculated to the disgruntled clerk and dashed from the store.

Hailing a taxi she told him to step on it to the Legation office and quickly hopped in. The driver, only too anxious to comply, buzzed off. His route took him past Blair House, a guest house belonging to the White House where special guests were sometimes billeted.

At this particular time President Truman was in temporary residence there because the White House was being redecorated. As the taxi drew almost in front of Blair House a commotion began right outside the house itself. A bullet hit the roof of the taxi Lenore was in, another hit a side fender. Sounds of shots were filling the air as policemen rushed past the taxi to a small group near Blair House entrance. Poor Lenore! Her taxi was in a direct line of fire of a shootout between police and a few Puerto Ricans who had come to try to assassinate President Truman.

The taxi driver yelled, "Drop to the floor quick".

Lenore did as she was bid. Things happened so fast she hadn't time to be frightened. Shortly the body of a dead Puerto Rican rebel rolled off the curb and bumped the front wheel of her taxi. As soon as things were under control the taxi driver moved off.

For a few moments before they got away Lenore looked up at the upstairs windows of Blair House. There was Harry in his long underwear peering down into the street trying to figure out what all the fuss was about. I don't know why Lenore was so surprised to see the president in long underwear. He was a down-to-earth man who didn't care who knew he wore long johns.

On the T.V. show Gordon Sinclair got a big kick out of the long underwear bit. He asked Lenore if she were frightened. She told him that she was fine until she got back to her office. Up to that time it had all seemed to be only a dream but, as soon as she saw the staff staring at her white face, she fainted. It took a couple of big swigs from a glass of straight bourbon to bring her around.

By this time the hat was completely forgotten.



Green Thumb corner



This is our last edition of the Green Thumb Corner and we conclude with a problem that doesn't end with spring planting, weeds. C. M. Switzer of the Ontario Agricultural College in Guelph and Rudy Brown of the Ridgetown College of Agriculture, offer a number of suggestions for keeping your lawn and flower beds weed-free. Happy gardening!

A weed-free lawn should be the aim of every homeowner. Developing a weed-free lawn isn't difficult, if you are prepared to spend a little time at it. A good maintenance program, which includes correct mowing, watering and fertilization, is the key. Fertilizer is particularly important because turf grasses respond well to fertilizer. Thick turf grasses can crowd out many weeds that would otherwise grow and flourish.

Lawn weeds can be divided into two major groups - broadleaf weeds and grassy weeds. The broadleaf weeds include such common plants as dandelion, plantain, black medick, chickweed, heal-all, ground-ivy, and clover. The grassy weed group includes annual crabgrass and annual bluegrass, and perennial grasses, such as quack grass, orchard grass and creeping bent grass.

Broadleaf weed control

Chemicals are readily available for broadleaf weed control. However, if you have a small lawn, or only a few weeds, it is probably easier to cut them off, below the ground, with a sharp knife or a V-shaped spudding tool.

The most commonly used herbicide for broadleaf weed control in lawns is 2,4-D. This chemical has been used for the selective control of weeds for more than 30 years, and has been found to be effective and safe. It controls such weeds as dandelions and plantains

well, but it is somewhat less effective on such weeds as black medick, chickweed, and ground-ivy. Fortunately, these weeds are susceptible to another herbicide, called mecoprop. However, neither 2,4-D nor mecoprop will control members of the knotweed family. If such weeds are present, use a mixture containing dicamba.

The best general weed killer for turf is a three-way mixture of 2,4-D, mecoprop and dicamba. This mixture gives excellent control of most broad-leaved weeds in lawns. However, some broad-leaf weeds are resistant to this mixture and any herbicide used selectively on turf. Goutweed, yarrow, and creeping bellflower are examples of resistant weeds. If these plants are a problem in your lawn, you have only two alternatives. Either attempt to crowd them out by stimulating the turf through good maintenance procedures, or treat them with a herbicide, such as glyphosate (Round-up), to kill all vegetation, and then reseed or resod. Obviously, this latter approach is a last resort, used only in cases of extremely heavy infestations.

Apply 2,4-D mixtures when weeds are young and growing rapidly. Early May is a good time. When you apply the mixture, use enough water to cover the treated plants thoroughly. Follow the instructions on the label to ensure that you apply the appropriate concentration. A

small one or two-gallon pressurized sprayer is the best application method, but you can use a sprinkling can, hose-end applicator or other applicator or other methods.

Whatever the method, never use the container which held herbicides for other purposes, such as applying insecticides or fungicides to flowers or shrubs. When spraying the herbicide, use low pressure, keep the end of the nozzle close to the ground, and avoid spraying if the wind is blowing. All of these precautions prevent the herbicide from drifting to nearby desirable plants.

Control of grassy weeds

An infestation of crabgrass in a home lawn concerns most homeowners. Crabgrass is an annual weed which germinates in early May throughout most of Canada. It remains rather inconspicuous until mid-summer when it produces reddish, finger-like seed stalks that are difficult to mow and unsightly. There is no effective method of crabgrass control in lawns after the weed appears. The only suitable time to control it is before the crabgrass emerges, so use a preemergence herbicide, such as bensulide (Betasan), chlorthal dimethyl (Dacthal), or siduron (Tupersan). Apply these materials early in the spring (before the end of April). Betasan and Dacthal, because they have a long residual life in the soil, can be applied in the autumn just as satisfactor-

ily.

Keep in mind that both Betasan and Dacthal will kill all germinating grass seedlings. You cannot reseed the treated area for at least one year after application. Tupersan, however, will only damage germinating crabgrass seedlings, so you can reseed in the same year.

Quack grass is probably the most difficult weed to control in lawns. No chemical will selectively kill it, without damaging the desirable species. Therefore, the only possible way to control this plant is to try to crowd it out by following good lawn maintenance procedures. If this is not successful, you may wish to renovate the whole lawn area by spraying with glyphosate (Round-up), and then reseed or resod. This is a drastic step to be used only if quack grass and other weeds are taking over the whole area.

Detailed information about lawn maintenance is given in Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food publications: Lawns, Publication 448, and Weed Control in Lawns and Gardens, Publication 529. These are available from the Information Branch, Ontario Ministry of Agriculture and Food, Legislative Buildings, Toronto, Ontario M7A 1A5, and from local agricultural offices.

Weeds in flower beds

Someone once said that horticulturists can't be adverse to coeducational housing when they plant Lazy Susan in the same bed with Sweet William. Having weeds in the same bed as ornamentals, however, is a different matter.

We sometimes forget many of our weeds are closely related to the many ornamentals we grow. That fact, coupled with the wide variety of ornamentals in one bed, makes it almost impossible to recommend a herbicide or weed killer to help keep weedy maulers out.

What are the alternatives? Weeds kept continuously under control in beds of flowers or shrubs, prevents seeding. The eventual result is a weed-free area. The old adage, "One year's seeding, seven year's weeding" is still valid. Mulch, whether a plastic mulch or organic matter such as wood chips, peat moss, or stone chips, helps smother weeds. Kill weed seedlings early to reduce the labor and drudgery involved. Reduce or eliminate infested areas if possible.

If there are solid, larger areas of a single species of ornamentals, recommended weed killers are of invaluable assistance. Start by freeing the lawn of broadleaf weeds with early applications and repeated applications of lawn weed killers containing mostly 2,4-D, mecoprop and dicamba. Eliminate crabgrass in lawns with pre-emergence application before May 1st to May 15th. Commercial crabgrass killers usually involve Dacthal or Betasan formulated as granules with or without fertilizer or as a spray.

Driveways and non-planted areas can be kept clean of weeds with paraquat (Gramoxone) available to homeowners as Weedrite or Weed-Ban. Usually repeated applications are necessary.

If applied to foliage of weeds, this herbicide will burn anything green off, but will not harm woody stems. It has

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no residual effect, therefore will not wash into areas with desirable ornamentals. Spray drift, however, can be a real problem, so be careful at application time. Wet footwear from spraying can track the spray across the lawn.

For many annual flowers, particularly in larger beds with only a few different annual flowers, you can use one of a number of pre-emergence herbicides to reduce weeding time. Chloramben sold as Ornamental Weeder or Weedone Garden Weeder and Dacthal can be applied pre-emergence to weeds, but after ornamentals are established. These materials are available in a granular form. Eptam or Trellan can be worked into the soil before planting for annual grass and some annual broadleaf weed control. Be sure to read and heed labels in all cases. Some annual flowers are sensitive to herbicide injury. Caution is always necessary when using chemical aids.

Home surroundings can only be as attractive as the extent good maintenance programs are practiced. Herbicides can help us, but they are only a supplement to diligence and hard work.

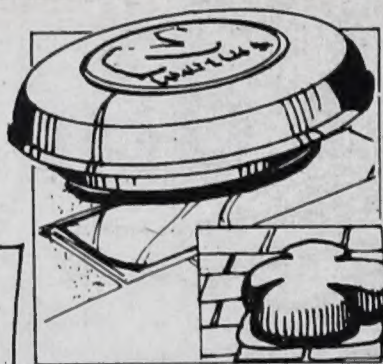
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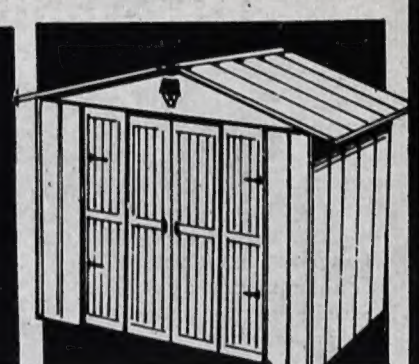
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“The shot” is on target

The Highlands Little Theatre has once again topped its previous presentations with the latest production, *A Shot In The Dark*.

The comedy in three acts, directed by Mike Collins, was presented Thursday, Friday and Saturday of last week at Haliburton Highlands Secondary School.

This slick farce required a careful touch to make the lines come alive, and the local players were up to the challenge. From the opening curtain to the last fade they expertly interpreted the author's humour. As a group, they have acquired an attribute that will lift their efforts above the amateur, stage presence. Moving easily from scene to scene, the players were in command of the play and the audience as well.

The story concerns a murder investigation in which a maid, played by Heather Scully, is implicated as the culprit. The open and shut case begins to crumble however when it comes under the scrutiny of Paul Sevigne played by Caryl Douglas. Assisted by her leering scribe, played by Stan Ashman, Sevigne reveals that the maid has been having an affair with her employer, Dale McConnell, while his wife, Lynn Graham, has also been participating in extra-curricular activities. To

avenge her husband's infidelity she fires the proverbial shot in the dark only to discover she has killed the chauffeur in the maid's chamber. Eventually all is revealed and the simple but energetic maid is set free.

If the presentation was the highlight of the organization's four efforts to date, it was also the vehicle through which Caryl Douglas showed us a new and unforgettable side to her stage talent. A prime-mover behind the Little Theatre in the Highlands, she, along with Brenda Ellis, took

and Brenda Ellis took on the roles of men for this production. Caryl, in particular, who was on stage for most of the play, demonstrated a mastery of her role topped off with and expertly rendered French accent. The part could easily have slipped into a slap-stick presentation but Caryl held it in check, capitalizing on the humour the script offered but not allowing her unusual role or French accent to detract from others sharing the stage with her.

For those unfamiliar with Caryl's acting in the past, her transition from actress to actor probably went unnoticed.

The same fine performance was turned in by the other female "actor" on stage, Brenda Ellis. With swirling mustache and just ever so



The cast of the Highlands Little Theatre production, *A Shot In The Dark* -- from the left, standing, Sandy Willis, Mike Maher, Brenda Ellis, Lynn Graham and Stan Ashman, seated, Caryl Douglas, Dale McConnell and Heather Scully.

baggy suit, she too carried her part expertly.

The performance of these two stood out because of the male/female switch, but it in no way diminished the efforts of the other on stage. All turned in strong performances which held the audience throughout the play. Most are veterans of past productions and so the experience they have gained is starting to show. Kudos to Stan Ashman, Sandy Willis, Heather Scully, Lynn Graham, Dale McConnell and the silent star, Mike

Maher, for a job well done. Others helping backstage with the production were Lila Mitchell, Faye Silver and Bev Simmonds.

It's not work to walk. So why not walk to work?



Director suspended

A meeting has been scheduled for Tuesday evening (June 2) by the Hyland Crest board of management to discuss what action will be taken with regard to the suspension of Phyllis Kennedy from the position of nursing supervisor.

Mrs. Kennedy was suspended from that post May 14 by the board pending a meeting of the board to discuss the matter.

Lutterworth Reeve Ron

Gambell and chairman of the board, refused to discuss the reasons for the director's suspension. He said the matter was still under consideration and refused to comment on any reason for the action.

Gambell said the board had been in contact with a lawyer in Toronto who is well versed in labour relations and that the committee will be seeking his input on the matter before a final decision is made.

TOWNSHIP OF LUTTERWORTH MILL RATES

	1979		1980	
	Residential & Farm	Commercial & Industrial	Residential & Farm	Commercial & Industrial
Township purposes	226	267	188	221
County purposes	102	119	99	115
School board purposes	513	602	461	510
Total	841	988	748	846

REVENUE FUND OPERATIONS

	1980 Budget	1980 Actual	1979 Actual
	\$	\$	\$
REVENUES			
* Taxation	374,971	378,540	331,726
* Ontario grants	143,306	97,860	113,861
* Other grants	-	-	2,949
* Payments-in-lieu of taxes	2,070	2,378	2,070
* Fees and service charges	4,100	8,491	4,976
* Other	16,750	29,463	17,511
	541,197	516,532	473,093
EXPENDITURES			
* General government	63,891	67,940	57,587
* Protection to persons and property	19,482	19,333	17,382
* Transportation services	153,117	111,796	142,916
* Environmental services	6,700	7,308	6,337
* Social and family services	16,593	14,842	6,683
* Recreation and cultural services	100	579	3,503
* Planning and development	10,700	15,394	15,991
* Other	7	-	-
* County purposes	45,771	46,281	46,051
* School board purposes	228,538	230,796	203,561
	544,899	514,269	500,011

1980 FINANCIAL HIGHLIGHTS CAPITAL FUND OPERATIONS

	1980 Actual \$	1979 Actual \$
CAPITAL FINANCING		
* Contributions from the revenue fund	31,408	28,604
* Ontario grants	35,496	51,742
	66,904	80,346
CAPITAL EXPENDITURES		
* General government	3,121	1,910
* Transportation services	63,783	78,436
	66,904	80,346

RESERVE AND RESERVE FUND OPERATIONS

	1980 Actual	1979 Actual
* Contributions received	29,000	32,000
* Interest earned	4,148	4,602
* Transfers to revenue fund	3,837	4,639
* Loans forgiven	5,000	2,900
* Loans written off	3,273	-

YEAR END BALANCES OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES

	1980 \$	1979 \$
* Cash and short term investments	21,390	15,466
* Accounts receivable	37,764	74,730
* Taxes receivable	53,560	41,750
* Other long term assets	104,300	76,222
* Temporary loans	30,000	37,601
* Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	11,836	18,690
* Reserve and reserve funds	169,130	148,092
* Accumulated net revenue	6,048	3,785

NOTES

1. The 1980 Financial Report consolidates the operations, assets and liabilities of the Township and its local Library Board.

2. The above data have been extracted from the audited 1980 Financial Report of the Township and its local board as described in Note 1. Copies of the 1980 Financial Report are available at the Township Offices to any resident who wishes to review or analyze the financial operations of the Township in greater detail.



Monday night was a special occasion for eight young people at St. Peter's Church, Maple Lake. Shane Burch, Betty Joe Clayton, Dianne Clayton, David Coulter, Trudy Coulter, Lisa-Christine Rankine, Doug Schell and Brenda Eastmure were confirmed by regional bishop, Rt. Rev. Desmond Hunt. The congregation joined in the confirmation vows and the service ended with the communion ceremony.

Pair share lead in ladies' league

The second week of play in the Haliburton County Ladies Softball League got underway again on the diamonds in Minden and Haliburton on Monday night, (May 27).

The Haliburton Ladies played host to Stanhope. The Haliburton team came up on top 18-11. They were led by Kim Parish who had a perfect night at the plate going 6 for 6. Nancy Maughan picked up the win while Joan Algar got the loss.

In Minden the two Minden teams played with the Juniors coming up on top 12-8 over Dixie Lee - Homestead. Cheryl Dillon picked up the win while Andrea Burk took the loss.

On Tuesday night Wilberforce played at West Guilford. The Guilford team was led by strong pitching from Joan McKay and won the game.

The Dixie Lee - Homestead team played host to Haliburton and Haliburton came up on top 27-17. Debbie O'Connor and Kim Roberts led the way for Haliburton. Nancy Maughan got the win while Andrea Burk took the loss.

Marg Darby was on the mound Tuesday night for Stanhope against Wilberforce, Stanhope won 13-11.

The two Wednesday night games were rained out. Standings up till May 27:

	G.P.	W.	L.	PTS.
Haliburton	4	3	1	6
West Guilford	3	3	0	6
Minden Juniors	3	2	1	4
Dixie Lee-Homestead	4	2	2	4
Stanhope	4	2	2	4
Wilberforce	3	0	3	0
Gooderham	3	0	3	0

Minden Women's Institute

Minden Women's Institute met at the Orange Hall May 20th with vice president Mrs. L. Cox in the chair. After the usual opening, 20 members were present and one guest was welcomed. Mrs. W. Moore reported sending 23 cards since the last meeting.

Mrs. H. Stevens agreed to fill the convenorship of Agriculture and Canadian Industry and Mrs. Don Berry that of Family and Consumer Affairs.

A donation of \$30 was voted to the Archie Stouffer Public School in lieu of School Fair Prizes and Mrs. Kernohan reported that some seats were still available on our Charter Bus. Mrs. L. Cox gave a very full and interesting report of District Annual.

Mrs. W. Moore gave us the P.R.O. report showing how we had publicized our branch over the past year. The curator, Mrs. Sears, reported that the Tweedsmuir History is now expanded to 4 books with new indices and rearranging being done. Also she stated how she enjoyed

her work but it was time to retire, as she had this position since 1959. The books were on display following the meeting.

An afghan and pillow which was donated will be raffled on Thanksgiving weekend with tickets to be ready for June meeting. Arrangements were made for the sale of baking, plants, white elephants, etc., for Saturday May 30 on Bank corner at 10 a.m. An executive meeting to set up programmes for coming year will be at Minden Library at 1 p.m. June 5. Programme for next meeting will be a movie regarding disabled persons and Mrs. H. Steven's paper. These to follow the Pot Luck Luncheon at 12:30 at Minden United Church, Wed., June 17 with everyone bringing dishes, silver, etc. so no dishes to be done.

The meeting adjourned and all enjoyed the delicious lunch served by the ladies and many looked through some of the History Books which will now go back for use at Minden Public Library.

Council bows to County pressure

The District Health Council serving Haliburton and area has agreed to allow one member of the County Council to be a part of the committee which will chose the individuals who will help decide the future of the local Red Cross Hospitals. Anson, Hindon and Minden Deputy Reeve Doug Pritchard has

been chosen to serve on that committee.

The health council had reacted to pressure from the county council that local representation was lacking on the selection committee. It was noted at the May meeting of County Council that the steering committee was being selected by members of the

health council. Warden Murray Fearrey suggested that the local municipalities should have a voice in the selection of the steering committee.

The council has bowed to that suggestion and will allow one member of the county council to serve on the initial selection committee.

The selection committee is scheduled to meet June 17.

Township agrees to provide parking

An agreement has been reached between the municipality and the Orillia Water Light and Power Company for the use of land owned by the utility for parking near the Horseshoe Lake Rapids. The municipality will develop the parking area for the Canadian White Water Championships planned for June 13 and 14.

The company agreed to the lease of the land to the township at a cost of \$5 per year with the municipality being responsible for the preparation of the site and accepting liability. The company asked that camping not be permitted on the site.

The matter was discussed at the May 29 meeting of township council.

There was some concern that municipal equipment might not be available to work at the site as it will be involved in other work that cannot be rescheduled.

Reeve Lloyd Walker suggested parking could be provided along the roadside, particularly if the road is to be closed on the days of the event. Councillor Ed Pergolas noted that upwards of 6000 visitors are expected for the championships and the parking lot will be needed.

The council agreed every effort should be made to have the parking area ready for the activities next weekend.

Lock closed Bird season over

The Trent Severn Waterways advises all boaters that Lock 14, Crowe Bay, at Campbellford is closed until further notice, due to a lock-gate sill failure.

Dewatering and repairs are underway. Boaters should make alternate arrangements or postpone their trip until advised of the re-opening.

Residents of Crowe Bay are advised the water levels in the bay are being dropped to ease repairs. Levels may be below summer navigation.

For more information, contact Trent-Severn Waterways at (705) 742-9267 or at the southern area office at: (705) 653-4340.

The Haliburton County Invitational Mixed Doubles badminton tournament marked the end of the season last Sunday evening at Haliburton High School.

Highlights included Bruna Foran and John Lonsdale defeating all the Haliburton teams. Haliburton won in overall points 29-17.

Both clubs wish to thank Jackie Zorjen for the artistic touch on the Golden Cup.

The new badminton season will start in Minden and Haliburton next September. Anyone interested in playing, please contact Bruna Foran or Frank Wallace.

County changes levy laws

Inflation even hits the tax collector, according to new regulations endorsed at the May 20 meeting of County Council.

Under the new provisions, municipalities which default on their transfer of funds to the county will also have to pay a penalty equal to the prime lending rate in force on the day of the default.

Previously, the rate was well below the prime rate and municipalities which were tardy in paying their share of the county levy benefitted as they gained the interest on the money left in their bank accounts while the county was forced to borrow to cover the default, at prime interest rate.

Changes were also made in the due date for municipal transfers to the county. While the original by-law mentions specific dates on which the municipalities were to make their payments, no consideration was made for the fact that those days may fall on a Saturday or Sunday. In the past the delay of one or two days in cashing the cheques from the townships was only a minor inconvenience. However, high interest rates have made every day count. So now the county is asking the townships to pay their levies on the date in question, or if it should be a non-banking day, on the last business day before the date specified in the by-law.

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Daytime Viewing

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3 CKVR Barrie

Wed., June 3		the 70's	7:30	I'm A Big Girl Now	
6:00	That's Incredible	11:00	8:00	War Brides	
7:00	Palace	11:25	10:00	L'Oiseau De Feu	
8:00	Two Ronnies	12:00	11:00	The National	
8:30	TBA	1:00	11:15	Total News	
11:00	The National	3:00	11:50	Movies - Harper	
11:25	Total News	4:30	2:30	Movie - Trouble in the Glen	
12:00	Movie - Assignment Terror		4:30	Movie - So Ends Our Night	
Thurs., June 4		Sat., June 6		Sun., June 7	
6:00	Lobo	8:00	8:00	7:30	Jimmy Swaggart
7:00	Eight Is Enough	8:30	8:30	8:30	Day of Discovery
8:00	Mork & Mindy	9:00	9:00	9:00	Jerry Falwell
8:30	W.K.R.P.	9:30	9:30	10:00	People's Church
9:00	Flamingo Road	10:00	10:00	11:00	Rex Humbard
11:00	The National	10:30	10:30	11:30	Show Biz
11:25	Total News	11:00	11:00	12:00	World of Tomorrow
12:00	Movie - Gable & Lombard	11:30	11:30	12:30	Herald of Truth
Fri., June 5		12:00	12:00	1:00	Sportsweekend
6:00	B.J. & the Bear	12:30	12:30	5:00	Smith & Smith
7:00	Trapper John M.D.	1:00	1:00	5:30	Too Close For Comfort
8:00	Playing With Time	1:30	1:30	6:00	Disney
9:00	Lou Grant	2:00	2:00	7:00	Beachcombers
10:00	Top Rank Fights of	3:00	3:00	7:30	Muppets
		6:00	6:00	8:00	Jack London's Tales
		6:30	6:30	9:00	CDN Establishment
		7:00	7:00	10:00	Ragtime

11 CKCO Kitchener

Wed., June 3		8:30	Headline Hunters	8:00	Movie - The Medusa Touch	9:00	35th Annual Tony Awards
6:00	Scan	9:00	Movie - Blood Relatives	10:00	A Man Called Intrepid	11:00	CTV National News
7:00	Family Feud	11:00	CTV National News	11:00	CTV National News	11:20	Ontario Report
7:30	Polka Time	11:20	Ontario Report	11:20	Ontario Report	12:00	John Davidson Show
8:00	K-W Symphony Orchestra Subscription Special	12:00	Movie - Nickelodeon	12:00	Movie - A Lion in the Street		
Thurs., June 4		Sat., June 6		Sun., June 7		Mon., June 8	
9:30	Taxi	6:00	University of the Air	6:00	University of the Air	6:00	Scan
10:00	Quincy	6:30	Yan's Woking	6:30	Newscape	7:00	Family Feud
11:00	CTV National News	7:00	Storytime	7:00	Niven Miller	7:30	Circus
11:20	Ontario Report	7:30	Uncle Bobby	7:30	Agri-News	8:00	Housecalls
12:00	John Davidson Show	8:00	Treehouse	8:00	Robert Schuller	8:30	Bizarre
Fri., June 5		8:30	Oopsy	8:30	Day of Discovery	9:00	Movie - Survival of Dana
6:00	Scan	9:00	Untamed World	9:00	People's Church	11:00	CTV National News
7:00	Family Feud	9:30	Let's Go	10:00	Faith That Lives	11:20	Ontario Report
7:30	Littlest Hobo	10:00	Swiss Family Robinson	10:30	Rex Humbard	12:00	John Davidson Show
8:00	The Waltons	10:30	Red Fisher	11:00	Church Service		
9:00	Magnum P.I.	11:00	History Canada	12:00	Big Top Talent	Tues., June 9	
10:00	Newscape	11:30	International Player's Tennis	1:00	Movie - Public Eye	6:00	Scan
11:00	CTV National News	12:30	Six Million Dollar Man	3:00	Movie - The Virginian: The Invaders	7:00	Family Feud
11:20	Ontario Report	1:30	This Week in Baseball	4:30	Question Period	7:30	Stars On Ice
12:00	John Davidson Show	1:55	Blue Jay Banter	5:00	Untamed World	8:00	Live It Up
Sat., June 6		2:00	All-Star Wrestling	5:30	Webster	8:30	Dukes of Hazzard
6:00	Scan	3:00	CTV Sports Presents	6:00	Scan	9:30	Ronnie Prophet Show
7:00	Family Feud	4:00	Wide World of Sports	6:30	Backstage at the Centre	10:00	Hart To Hart
7:30	Prime Cuts	6:00	Scan	7:00	Movie - Topper	11:00	CTV National News
8:00	Benson	6:30	Bowling For Dollars			11:20	Ontario Report
		7:00	Enos			12:00	John Davidson Show

6:00		Spiderman
11	University of the Air	Thurs. & Tues. -
22	Seneca Telecollege	Rocket Robin Hood
6:30		11:30
11	Joyce Davidson	11 Mad Dash
12	Afternoon Show	12 Wed. - Skipper & Co.
7:00		Thurs. - Just Kidding
11	Canada A.M. Show	Fri. - Wonderful Grand
12	700 Club	Band
22	Gifts of the Spirit	Mon. - Hobbledehoy
7:30		Tues. - Quiz Kids
8:00		12:00
3	Friendly Giant	3 Leave It To Beaver
12	Ed Allen	11 The Flintstones
22	Hammy Hamster	12 Noonday Report
Mon. - Christian Life		22 News at Noon
Assembly		12:25
8:15		11 Agri-News
3	Davey & Goliath	12 Farm News
8:30		3 Total News
3	Doug Hall	11 Definition
12	Barbara McLeod	12 Afternoon Show
22	Just Like Mom	1:00
9:00		3 Dating Game
3	Ed Allen	11 Alan Thicke Show
11	Romper Room	12 King of Kensington
12	Doug Hall	22 Let's Make A Deal
22	Ed Allen	1:30
9:30		3 Moira Hunt
3	Wed., Thurs. & Fri. -	12 Wok With Yan
The Sullivans		22 Celebrity Cooks
Mon. & Tues. -		2:00
Ben Wicks		3,12 Wed. - Body In Question
11	Just Like Mom	Thurs. - This Land
12	Party Game	Fri. - Up At Ours
22	That's Life	Mon. - Nature of Things
9:45		Tues. - Projections
12	Friendly Giant	2:30
10:00		3,12 Thurs. - Reflections
3	Wed., Thurs. & Tues. -	Fri. - Leo & Me
Wok With Yan		3:00
Fri. - Piano Alley		3,12 Edge of Night
Mon. - Jimmy Phair		11 Texas
11	Johnnie Walters	22 Guiding Light
12	Silverbasketball	3:30
22	Wed. - Global Newsmakers	3,12 Take 30
Thurs. - Lifestyles		4:00
Fri. - Wintario		3 King of Kensington
Mon. - Everybody's		11 Match Game
Business		12 Mary Tyler Moore
Tues. - National Film		22 Hercules
Board		4:30
10:15		3 Barney Miller
12	Friendly Giant	11 Andy Griffith
10:30		12 Happy Days
3,12	Mr. Dress Up	22 Merrie Melodies
11	What's Cooking	5:00
22	100 Huntley Street	3 Happy Days
11:00		11 The Odd Couple
3	Bob McLean	12 Tic Tac Dough
11	Betty & Friends	22 George
12	Wed., Fri. & Mon. -	5:30
		3 Total News
		11 Hogan's Heroes
		12 Barney Miller
		22 Dick Van Dyke

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12 CHEX Peterborough

Wed., June 3			
6:00	Evening Report	8:30	Newlywed Game
6:30	Newlywed Game	7:00	Incredible Hulk
7:00	B.J. & the Bear	8:00	Playing With Time
8:00	Mouton of the Mounties	9:00	P.M. Magazine Special
8:30	Movie - Greased Lightning	10:00	Dallas
11:00	National	11:00	National
11:25	Night Final	11:25	Night Final
12:00	Movie - Fate is the Hunter	12:00	Movie - A Shot in the Dark
Thurs., June 4			
6:00	Evening Report	8:30	Snelgrove Snail
6:30	Newlywed Game	9:00	Circle Square
7:00	Trapper John	9:30	Jerry Falwell
8:00	Mork & Mindy	10:30	Rocket Robin Hood
8:30	W.K.R.P.	11:00	Harrigan
9:00	Knot's Landing	11:30	Spiderman
11:00	National	12:00	Campus Quiz
11:25	Night Final	12:30	Sportsbeat
12:00	Movie - One, Two, Three	1:00	Weekend
Fri., June 5			
6:00	Evening Report	1:30	George Dalglish
		2:00	World's Alive
		2:30	Pete's Place
		3:00	Sportsweekend
		6:00	Editorial Page
		6:30	I'm A Big Girl Now
		7:00	Eight Is Enough
		8:00	War Brides
Sat., June 6			
		8:00	War Brides
		10:00	L'Oiseau De Feu
		11:00	National
		11:15	Provincial Affairs
		11:20	Night Final
		12:00	Movie - Sophia
Sun., June 7			
		8:00	Rocket Robin Hood
		8:30	What's New
		9:00	Jimmy Swaggart
		10:00	Day of Discovery
		10:30	Robert Schuller
		11:30	This Week in Ontario
		12:00	Oral Roberts
		12:30	Rex Humbard
		1:00	Sportsweekend
		4:30	Land & Sea
		5:00	Newave - It's Only
			Rock & Roll
		6:00	Disney
		7:00	Beachcombers
		7:30	Muppets
		8:00	Jack London's Tales
		9:00	CDN Establishment
		10:00	Ragtime
		10:30	Spitfire Pilot
		11:00	National
		11:15	Nation's Business
		11:20	Night Final
		12:00	Movie - Stop, You're Killing Me
Mon., June 8			
		6:00	Evening Report
		6:30	Newlywed Game
		7:00	Little House
		8:00	Nature of Things
		9:00	M*A*S*H*
		9:30	KGB Special
		11:00	National
		11:25	Night Final
		12:00	Movie - 55 Days At Peking
Tues., June 9			
		6:00	Evening Report
		6:30	Newlywed Game
		7:00	Lobo
		8:00	Happy Days
		8:30	Three's Company
		9:00	Tinker, Tailor, Soldier, Spy
		11:00	National
		11:25	Night Final
		12:00	Movie - Invitation to a Gunfighter

22 Global

Wed., June 3			
6:00	Global News	7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter
7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter	7:30	That's Life
7:30	That's Life	8:00	Celebrity Cooks
8:00	Real People	8:30	Good Times
9:00	The Love Boat	9:00	The Love Boat
10:00	Global News Update	10:00	Global News Update
10:01	The Tonight Show	10:01	The Tonight Show
11:00	Global News	11:00	Global News
11:30	That's Life	11:30	That's Life
12:00	The Streets of San Francisco	12:00	The Streets of San Francisco
1:00	Make Me Laugh	1:00	Make Me Laugh
Thurs., June 4			
6:00	Global News	7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter
7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter	7:30	That's Life
8:00	Father, Dear Father	8:00	Father, Dear Father
8:30	Man About The House	8:30	Man About The House
9:00	Wintario	9:00	Wintario
9:30	On The Buses	9:30	On The Buses
10:00	Global News Update	10:00	Global News Update
10:01	The Tonight Show	10:01	The Tonight Show
11:00	Global News	11:00	Global News
11:30	Pot 'O' Gold Lottery	11:30	Pot 'O' Gold Lottery
11:35	That's Life	11:35	That's Life
12:05	The Streets of San Francisco	12:05	The Streets of San Francisco
1:00	Make Me Laugh	1:00	Make Me Laugh
1:30	Movie - Carnival of Crime	1:30	Movie - Carnival of Crime
Fri., June 5			
6:00	Global News	7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter
		7:30	That's Life
		8:00	Celebrity Cooks
		8:30	Good Times
		9:00	The Love Boat
		10:00	Global News Update
		10:01	The Tonight Show
		11:00	Global News
		11:30	That's Life
		12:00	The Streets of San Francisco
		1:00	Make Me Laugh
		1:30	Movie - The Anniversary
Sat., June 6			
		6:00	Seneca Telecollege
		7:00	Canadian Cavalcade
		8:00	Lifestyles
		8:30	Niven Miller
		9:00	Sounds of Asia
		10:00	100 Huntley Street
		10:01	Circle Square
		11:30	Championship Wrestling
		12:00	Championship Wrestling
		1:00	Canadian Superstar
		1:30	George Dalglish
		2:00	Dateline Canada
		2:30	Inside Track
		3:00	Hammy Hamster
		3:30	Hercules
		4:00	Kidsworld
		4:30	Story Theatre
		5:00	Tommy Banks
Sun., June 7			
		6:00	Global News
		6:30	Everybody's Business
		7:00	Lawrence Welk Show
		8:00	Wild World
		8:30	Cash for Life Lottery
		9:00	Global Newsmakers
		9:30	Dateline Canada
		10:00	Fantasy Island
		10:01	Lottario
		11:05	Movie - Shoot
		1:00	Movie - Godzilla vs. Megalon
Mon., June 8			
		6:00	Global News
		7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter
		7:30	That's Life
		8:00	McMillan and Wife
		9:30	Struggle Beneath the Sea
		10:00	Global News Update
		10:01	The Tonight Show
		11:00	Global News
		11:30	That's Life
		12:00	The Streets of San Francisco
		1:00	World In Action
Tues., June 9			
		6:00	Global News
		7:00	Welcome Back, Kotter
		7:30	That's Life
		8:00	What Will They Think of Next?
		8:30	Laverne & Shirley
		9:00	Caged Women
		10:00	Global News Update
		10:01	The Tonight Show
		11:00	Global News
		11:30	That's Life
		12:00	The Streets of San Francisco
		1:00	World In Action

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Convention draws fewer than expected

While attendance was not what he expected, chairman of the district seven real estate conference held in Haliburton Village Thursday described the event as "a success". Bill Roodenburg said the day proved to be an interesting and educational one for those attending.

The gathering of real estate agents from Haliburton, Bancroft, Port Colborne, Lindsay, Peterborough and Quinte was attended by about 110. Roodenburg said he expected at least 200.

Those in attendance heard a rousing speech from Mississauga mayor Hazel McCallion. She challenged the agents to question all levels of government as they formulate regulations. She stated that these laws often hurt real estate sales and the agents must be prepared to react or be prepared to let the politicians run rough-shod over them.

The Mississauga mayor said the high interest rates being forced on the country by the federal government policy was one example of how the real estate market can be hurt by government action.

During the afternoon session the agents heard Fran Smith, a sales motivator. Roodenburg described him as an excellent speaker who got the entire audience involved as he spoke.

The chairman suggested a number of reasons for the



Mississauga Mayor Hazel McCallion addresses the annual convention of zone seven of the Ontario Real Estate Association. The meeting was held in Haliburton on Thursday.

poor attendance including a general trend away from conventions and the distance

which many of the delegates had to travel for the one day gathering.



by
Linda English

We started our regular activities on Monday morning with fun and fitness. Later on the ladies went to the craft room to work on their projects. The gentlemen are also beginning to work in crafts. We have started a very interesting project working with wood.

Monday evening the movies were shown in the auditorium. "The Friendly Mountains" was photographed in northern Italy. "Spectacular Italy" was a interesting film telling the history of ballet, opera and great symphony music. People from all nations gather here for the World Music Festival every year.

Tuesday morning Rev. Brewster of Allsaw Pentecostal Church held an inspiring service in the chapel. Our organist, Agnes Taylor, accompanied us and Barbara Trocewicz led us in the singing of gospel hymns.

Later in the afternoon the bus was loaded with bed care residents. These folks enjoyed a visit to Skyline Park overlooking beautiful Haliburton.

Fred Ballard was here for Music Night on Tuesday evening. We enjoyed listening to his organ music, as usual.

There was a good turnout to Games Night on Wednesday evening. Everyone enjoyed playing euchre, and crokinole with our auxiliary members assisting and joining the fun.

Thursday at one o'clock the Covenant Players paid a visit to Hyland Crest. They entertained us with a few humorous skits. Immed-

iately following the performance, the ladies of Carnarvon U.C.W. served a delicious assortment of sandwiches for the tea party. This week was the special birthday tea. The guests of honour who celebrated their birthdays in May were Mildred Wood, Ida Schell, Mary Grozelle, Della Curry and Victor Spencely. These special people were presented with a beautifully decorated birthday cake by the U.C.W. ladies. We would like to thank the group for the delicious lunch and a lovely afternoon.

The week's activities ended on Friday afternoon with Grace Coburn leading the singing. Grace led us in the singing of gospel hymns and old favorite songs. Fred Ballard accompanied the singing on the electric organ.

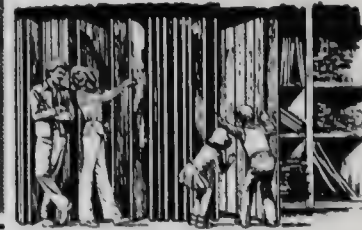
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Recently, to honour Len Lonsberry upon his retirement after 32 years of service with Brewer's Warehousing, the employees of Lindsay group had a get-together at Byrnell Golf and Country Club at Fenelon Falls. Len and Marg had their two girls, Pam and Karen and Len's Mother present for the occasion. Also present were former employees of Minden Store, Richie Harrison and Mark Schell. It was a little extra special as Len and Marg were 35 years married the next day. Presentations were made to both Len and Marg. This was not the last, Len had a phone call late that week telling him of winning a grand quilt in a raffle in his mother's group.

All their friends send good wishes to these people who have been in hospital or were able to return home, included are Edith Welch, Marshall Harrison, Elsa Seurett, and Helen Burton.

Mrs. Florence Barton of Agincourt spent a few days last week with Mrs. Verna Jarvis.

Bev and Earl Johnson spent last week visiting at Shelburn.

Showers
Children splash and shout it in;
Pretty flowers sprout in it;
Reservoirs revive in it;
Farmlands come alive in it;
Umbrella-makers cheer in it;
And taxis disappear in it.

Guests last week with Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson were Mr. and Mrs. Doug Davidson of Thunder Bay.

The Women's Institute had a very successful sale of goods last Saturday. On the draw for the quilt, winner was Jeff Moore of Nova Scotia holding ticket no. 467.

The Morgan Uptons of Toronto spent the weekend at their home in the village.

Sincere sympathy goes to the family and friends of the late Alec Hall whose funeral was Monday.

Weekend guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Cox were the Goldie Hendersons of Roseneath.

Wedding Bells were ringing on Saturday with congratulations to the newlyweds Mr. and Mrs. Jay Horsely (nee Janet Morrow).

Emma and Earl Hewitt and

Hilda and Mac McCarey are home after their trip to Ireland. Wonder if the grass is as green as the Irish say it is?

When we look at the world in a narrow way
How small and narrow it seems,
When we look at the world in a cynical way
How futile are all our dreams,
But when we look up with friendly eyes,
With thoughts that are kind and forgiving,
Our hearts are filled with joy and surprise
At the good world in which we are living.

Attention Minden Curlers, Workparties have started again to complete the new Club building. This is every Saturday morning at 9 and Wednesday evenings at 8. Come out and help us get ready for the Fall Curling schedule.

Hint of the week - If you want to keep your shoe laces white in those new shoes, the eyelets of the shoes should be coated with clear nail polish.

The Ten Commandments of Sports
1. Thou shalt not quit.
2. Thou shalt not alibi.
3. Thou shalt not gloat over winning.
4. Thou shalt not sulk over losing.
5. Thou shalt not take unfair advantage.
6. Thou shalt not ask odds.

Thou art unwilling to give.
7. Thou shalt always be willing to give Thine opponent the benefit of the doubt.
8. Thou shalt not underestimate an opponent or overestimate thyself.
9. Remember that the game is the thing, and he who thinks otherwise is no true sportsman.
10. Honour the game thou playest, for he who plays the game straight and hard, wins even when he loses.

Good Sportsmanship is the single asset that competition cannot destroy.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sears spent the weekend in Toronto with Muriel Ewing, Chris and Scott and 'Sam' and the Glen Sears of Oshawa were also there.

We note that the Haliburton County Museum is open on Saturdays for June after 10 a.m. and more hours in July and August.

Coming events are the Beef Barbeque June 13, with dancing after the meal to Misty River Ramblers. The other item is the Thrift Shop at St. Paul's Parish Hall, upstairs is open Friday afternoons in June from 1:30-4.

Pleasant June weather today, perhaps that lawn will get cut! Traffic is heavy on the weekends so take care. Cheerio until next time.



Lines from Lutterworth

by Jean Lacey

Hi! Here we are into June already. The kids will soon be out of school for the summer. Their school trips are in progress right now with ours going to the Science Centre and Ontario Place on Wednesday and to Centre Island on Thursday. We never went to such fun places when we were kids. We got to go to the Art Gallery.

Mr. Morley Sparling is up to his cottage for the summer.

Pleased to hear that Mrs. Elsa Sueret is home after her stay in hospital.

Mr. & Mrs. DeWitt from Oshawa were up visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Fox.

Mrs. Marg Miller is back from her trip to Maine, which everyone enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Wright were up for the weekend visiting with the Moore's.

Pleased to hear that Mrs. Telford is home from the hospital and doing very well

after her hip operation.

Sorry to hear Mr. Nelson Leary is in hospital. Hope he will be up and about soon.

Carole visited with Corry Ziorjen for the weekend.

The Lutterworth Pines Community Association had their annual supper and meeting Saturday evening at the Fireside Inn. It is a get together to meet new comers to the Pines and elect new executives for the coming year. This year's new committee is President Mr. Jim Hamilton, Secretary, Mrs. Ivy Bolton, and Treasurer Mrs. Muriel Proctor.

Coming up for our Lutterworth Library is a bake sale and flea market on June 27th. Donations will be gratefully received. Also this month is book exchange, so all libraries will have 200 new books for you to read.

Those who bring sunshine to the lives of others cannot

keep it from themselves.

by Sir James Barrie

Kids Korner

Well kids, only 3 more weeks of school. Along with the school trips comes your exams, yuk! Best of luck to you all.

What did the psychiatrist say to the elephant?

"That'll be thirty dollars for the visit...and three hundred for the couch."

How do you tell an elephant from a banana?

Try lifting it. If you can't get it off the floor, it's probably an elephant. But it might be a heavy banana

What is green and flies through the air faster than a bullet?

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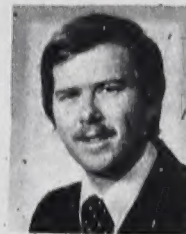
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McCormick's Whole Wheat Biscuits 400 g PKG **1.39**

BANANA, PEANUT OR STRAWBERRY Dare Marshmallow Candies 270 g PKG **1.19**

Baby's Own Soap PKG. OF 3 BARS **1.19**

DRY/NORMAL OR OILY Esprit Shampoo 200 mL PLST BTL **1.69**

KINGSFORD, Charcoal Briquets 10 LB BAG **2.99**

GOLDEN HARVEST Tumblers 2 FOR **1.**

CAVENDISH FARMS, FROZEN, FANCY, STRAIGHT, SHOESTRING, CRINKLE OR COUNTRY CUTS French Fries 2 LB POLY BAG **.89**

SARA LEE, FROZEN, CHOCOLATE OR VANILLA Layer Cakes 13 OZ PKG **1.49**

NEILSONS Cottage Cheese 500 mL TUB **.99**

PROCESS CHEESE FOOD, SINGLES (16 SLICES) Kraft Cheese Slices 500 g PKG **2.59**

MACARONI & CHEESE

Kraft Dinner

.39

225 g BOX

IGA, REGULAR, RIPPLE OR SALT & VINEGAR FLAVORED

Potato Chips

.79

200 g PKG.

POWDERED

Fab Detergent

2.99

6 L BOX

ORANGE, WINK, OR REGULAR OR DIET LITE

Canada Dry Ginger Ale

.39

750 mL BTL.

PLUS .30 DEPOSIT PER BTL.

SUN PAC, FROZEN, CONCENTRATED

Orange Juice

.59

12 1/2 FL. OZ. TIN

PANTRY SHELF,

Apple Drink

.49

48 FL. OZ. TIN

CHOICE, CUT GREEN OR WAX BEANS OR PEAS & CARROTS

Aylmer Vegetables

.33

14 FL. OZ. TIN

TOASTMASTER,

Crusty Loaf

.49

16 OZ. SIZE

100% PURE VEGETABLE OIL

Imperial Soft Margarine

.89

1-LB. TUB

GREEN, GARDEN SALAD OR YUM YUM

Bick's Relishes

.69

375 mL JAR

MAPLE LEAF

Flakes of Ham

1.29

6 1/2 OZ. TIN

LIQUID, MFG. PREPRICED .95

Sunlight Detergent

.79

500 mL PLST. BTL.

FRESH for FLAVOUR

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. CANADA NO. 1 GRADE

Cantaloupes

.59

SIZE 45'S EA.

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. CANADA NO. 1 GRADE

Corn-on-the-Cob

5 FOR .99

FOR

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. "NEW CROP"

Sunkist Valencia Oranges

.89

SIZE 163'S DOZ.

PRODUCT OF THE REPUBLIC OF S AFRICA CANADA FANCY GRADE

Granny Smith Apples

.89

1 LB

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. CANADA FANCY GRADE

McIntosh Apples

1.29

3 LB BAG

PRODUCT OF U.S.A.

Avocadoes

2 FOR 1.

PRODUCT OF MEXICO

Mangoes

.79

EA.

PRODUCT OF ONTARIO

Leaf Lettuce

2 FOR .88

2 BUNCHES FOR

PRODUCT OF ONTARIO

Bunch Radish

2 BUNCHES FOR .88

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. CANADA NO. 1 GRADE

Cucumbers

2 FOR .88

PRODUCT OF U.S.A.

Green Onions

3 BUNCHES FOR .99

PRODUCT OF U.S.A. ONTARIO NO. 1 GRADE, SWEET

Green Peppers

.79

LB

PRODUCT OF U.S.A.

Cello Spinach

.79

10 OZ PKG

PRODUCT OF ONTARIO

Alfalfa Sprouts

2 4 OZ PKGS. 1.

PRODUCT OF ONTARIO

Bean Sprouts

.39

LB

PRODUCT OF ONTARIO

Fried Noodles

.99

LB

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